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7 UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
WESTERN DISTRICT OF WASHINGTON
8 AT TACOMA

9 MICHAEL ABERA,

10 Plaintiff,

v.

11 NATIONAL RAILROAD PASSENGER
12 CORPORATION d/b/a AMTRAK,

13 Defendant.

CASE NO. C19-5211 BHS

ORDER GRANTING
DEFENDANT’S MOTION FOR
SUMMARY JUDGMENT

14 This matter comes before the Court on Defendant National Railroad Passenger
15 Corporation d/b/a Amtrak’s (“Amtrak”) motion for summary judgment on punitive
16 damages. Dkt. 11.

17 On October 30, 2019, Amtrak filed the instant motion. *Id.* On November 20,
18 2019, Plaintiff Michael Abera responded. Dkt. 13. On November 22, 2019, Amtrak
19 replied. Dkt. 16.
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1 Upon review of the motion, the Court grants the motion on the same grounds and
2 for the same reasons set forth in *Mitchem v. Nat'l R.R. Passenger Corp.*, C18-5366-BHS,
3 2020 WL 91490 (W.D. Wash. Jan. 8, 2020) and related cases cited therein.

4 **IT IS SO ORDERED.**

5 Dated this 27th day of February, 2020.

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9 BENJAMIN H. SETTLE
10 United States District Judge
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